LOCAL NEWS

CITY COUNCIL.-An adjourned meeting of the City Council was to have been held last night for the purpose of considering the report of the committee appointed to revise and amend the charter of the corporation.

In the Board of Aldermen, on motion of Mr. Suttle, the clerk read the new city charter by

On the 1st Sec. defining the boundaries of the city limits, it was explained by Mr. Simpson that the line embracing a part of Fairfax county in the corporate limits had never been agreed to by that county. The line was now as it had been for years, he believed it had been extended for sanitary purposes a short distance beyond Hooff's Run. Mr. Agnew inquired if the city could have

jurisdiction over the Potomac. Mr. Suttle answered that the Legislature had concurrent jurisdiction over the Potomac with Maryland, and that the power could be delegated to this city.

The section was after some further debate adopted, and the 2nd section being read was adopted also, as were the 3rd and 4th without

discussion, On the election section Mr. French suggested whether it would not be better to elect the City Council by a general ticket. In this way a better class of citizens could be elected than if local ward interests were allowed to sway those matters, and the entire sense of the community would be better obtained.

Mr. Agnew though politically he would be in favor of this as in the interests of his party. but as for the good of the city he was not so

The paragraph of the 5th section requiring the Mayor to sign a till passed over his veto by the Council, was amended.

Mr. Suttle said that as it stood if the Mayor should refuse to sign a bill it would render it null and void.

On the subject of vacancies occuring in either branch the phrase such branch "shall have power to fill the vacancy" gave rise to quite an animated discussion, resulting in an amendment being offered striking out the words

have power.' Mr. Simpson said he thought this power belonged to the people, and he was opposed to taking away any of their rights. If there was a vacancy let the Council order an election, but let the people say whom they would send.

Mr. Suttle said that after mature consideration the committee had thought this best. The time taken from the people, and the cost of an election, besides the excitement and sometimes danger of an election were subjects which induced him to think the best plan to fill vacancies was by the Board in which the vacancy occurred. He could trust his interests as confidently to twenty intelligent gentlemen here as he could to the entire mass of the city. Mr. Simpson reptied defending his position.

Mr. Harmon-The people will say that we are taking all the power out of their hands. What right had a member from the 1st Ward to say who should represent the 4th?
The vote being put, the Chair decided the

amendment lost. Mr. Suttle reiterated that the cost of elections was a reason why the section should re-

main as it was. Mr. Harmon said that a vacancy had occur red in the 4th Ward and one election had been held. This did not cost the city one cent. But the member elect was, on presenting himself here, told that he was not legally elected and could not take his seat. He was not here himself at the time, but gave it as a newspa-

Mr. Agnew-Then if this election was a valid one, his being kept out of his seat is an illegal act, and the acts of this Board in his absence are illegal.

Mr. Harmon-There has been no legal acbeing refused his seat. As the matter was up he would give his opinion about it. Mr. Markell-But it is right as it is. No

election had been ordered by this Board. Mr. Harmon-There was certainly a vacancy from the 4th Ward, and the people had elected a member who had been denied his seat.

Mr. French said he was doubtless the person referred to as having told the party who claimed to represent the 4th Ward that he was not legally entitled to a seat here. So far as this matter was concerned it is the fault of you gentlemen over there if the 4th Ward is not represented, for you claim that Mr. Bell was not deprived of his seat here by being a corporation officer.

Mr. Harmon-The Council had declared a vacancy. Mr. Suttle asked what was before the Board.

Mr. Harmon explained his position, repeat ing his views.

Mr. French-Don't you see that it is because you have not declared a vacancy. You have insisted that Mr. Bell was entitled to his seat. The reading of the charter was resumed.

Mr. French thought the term of service of the Auditor should be extended to at least three years, and if it could be so arranged that he could not be subject to removal for political reasons it would be well. It was a less to the city, the frequent change in this office. It took an Auditor at least a year to become qualified for the position.

Mr. Agnew thought that it would be difficult to make an office so unchangeable. A new political party coming in would find a pretext, if one was wanted, to remove any one.

Mr. Suttle wanted power in the hands of the Council to destroy as well as to build up. He thought that the power to dismiss from office should be vested in the Council.

Some discussion as to the verbiage of the 5th section occurred after which it was adopted. The idea advanced was that the phrase "removed from office at its pleasure," should be qualified, as placing too much power in the hands of Council.

Mr. Simpson said it should be thought that inefficiency, neglect of duty, &c., should be

The discussion was continued by Messre. Suttle and Agnew, after which several sections were read and adopted without comment, save some slight verbal amendments.

Mr. French said that if the city could organize a chain gang it would be a wholesome ter ror to criminals, and would be a ready means of utilizing the vagrant labor now imprisoned. Mr. Simpson opposed this as being repug-

nant to his ideas of right. The city had no right to disgrace a criminal by putting him in a chain gang.

Mr. Agnew coincided with Mr. S. in his

In the 23d section the phrase giving power to the Mayor to dismiss from office a deputy collector of taxes, was stricken out, the opinion prevailing that it conferred a power on the Mayor that he should not possess.

Mr. Suttle thought that such power was conferred on the Mayor by the constitution, and for that reason the committee had simply re-

iterated it in the charter. Mr. French read from the constitution to show that he was wrong, and afterward the

section as amended was adopted. The 20th section being read,

Mr. French advocated making the city treasurer also collector of taxes. He was of opinion that it was so intended by the constitution; that idea seemed to him to run through the law; he could largely economise by doing this. striking complainant at a ball at Fishtown last Mr. Suttle said they had followed the plan night, was fined and discharged.

in this regard of the charter of Richmond. What was wanted was power on the part of was issued against Partrick Gathweight at the the collector to distrain for taxes, a power they instance of Gabriel Shepherd.

did not have under the old charter. the city, is it not worth while to try and see if so until after sunrise. There were no disturbhis plan would not be worth something instead of condemning it beforehand. He repeated the station house.

what he had said before about the propriety of electing the Auditor for the term of 3 years. as was the State Treasurer, and he would repeat also that now that this charter was print ed and in the hands of printers' he would like to take it home with him and work at it calmly and quietly, to see if it could not be improved.

Mr. Suttle did not think anything could be gained by delay; nor did he think that the treasurer would be as dilligent as a special col-

Mr. Markell inquired why the gas bills were put in the hands of the collector of taxes.

Mr. Suttle explained that they were a part of the city revenue, and about the only pay ing stock it possessed. If they were placed on the same footing as taxes, and the collector had power to distrain for them, many gas bills now uncollected would be obtained. This was the plan pursued in Baltimore. Mr. French repeated his views that the city

Treasurer was by the Constitution made col lector of taxes.

Mr. Simpson thought the Treasurer had enough to do without that duty. There should be two collectors, as now.

Mr. Suttle said the Council had no power to create the office of another collector. The Sheriff had returned last year only about \$1. 500 delinquent tax, and the late collector of the Northern District had returned over \$20,000. This was because he had no power to enforce collections.

Mr. Agnew thought there was a chance of getting a better man by having only one col-

Mr. Suttle thought that he had understood some days ago from Mr. French that he (Mr. F.) had athoroughly digested this matter, and why he wanted to postpone it he was at a loss to sec.

Mr. French explained that now that the charter was printed it was casily examined. Does it do any harm to take this up calmly and deliberatively and work at it quietly? Mr. Suttle rejoined that Mr. French was ready a few days ago, and now be pleads, insists and urges delay, without a definite reason. There was a "cat in this meal tub,"

thought. Mr. French replied that the act as passed could not have validity until adopted by the lower Board. Our haste was useless until

they had acted on it. Mr. Simpson moved a reconsideration of the vote.

Mr. Suttle-Did you vote for it? Messrs. Simpson and Markell stated that they were in consultation at the time of the vote being taken and did not hear it. The vote to reconsider was not put by the chair.

The discussion was continued until a late hour, but succeeding sections were adopted without modification or change, after which the Board adjourned.

Common Council.-Messrs. Smoot, Shinn, Wheat, Portner, Massey, Dyson and Parker were present in the chamber at intervals during the evening, but as no quorum was present, no meeting was held.

CORONER'S INQUESTS .- The inquest upon he body of the colored woman Betsy Campbell, who was run over and killed by the cars on Tuesday evening last, at the intersection of Henry and Princess streets, which commenced by coroner Beach on Wednesday, was not concluded until half past eleven o'clock Friday night. [We have not room, to day, for the evidence as given in the case.]

The jury of which Mr. B. Harlow was forcman returned the following verdict: That the deceased came to her death by the railroad cars on Henry street, while imprudently at- the jurisdiction of the Police Court of the Dis tempting to cross the track when the cars

Were too near for that purpose, of the female The inquest was a body of the female mulatto child by coroner Beach on Friday evening resulted in the following verdict rention taken by the Council in the matter of his dered by the jury of which R. B. Lee Fleming was foreman: The jury believe from the outh of Dr. Powell that the child was born alive, and that it came to its death by drowning at the hands of some unknown person, in a pond near the baptising ground. The child was about twenty four hours old. That it had breathed after birth was proved by the floating | tions. of a piece of its lungs in water.

> PRODUCE RECEIPTS .- Among the country produce brought to this city last week by the O., A. & M. R. R , were: of corn 8,504 bushels, wheat 12,227, rye 206, oats 3,151, meal 100, onions 35, potatoes 60, dried fruit 30, seed 69 bbls., bacon 3,025 lbs., tobacco 10 boxes, butter 142 bbls., ground sumae 288 bags, sumae 319 sacks, eggs 62 bbls., dressed hogs 141, hides 47 bundles, flour 1,139 bbls., cows and calves 19, and 15 car loads of cattle and hogs.

> During the same period there were received by the W. & O. R. R., among other freight: of wheat 3,810 bushels, corn 2,174, oats 1,076, feed 66, flour 97 bbls., butter 8 bbls., eggs 14 bbls., poultry 19 bbls., eider 5 bbls., pork 7,152 lbs., 5 calves, 2 coors of towls, and one car load of stock.

> OVERBOARD. - Capt. Smith, of the Mary land steamer Virginia, and a deck hand named Hughes, accidentally fell overboard yesterday evening, at the ferry slip, but were speedily rescued by persons standing in the vicinity. A little boy, while playing with some companions, fell from a boat into the Prince street dock, yesterday evening, and would have drowned had he not been rescued by Mr. Harry Price, who happened to hear the splash made by the accident, and hastening to the spot pulled the child out by his hair.

PERSONAL.-The Fredericksburg Star sags 'We were delighted to behold yesterday the smiling countenance of our friend Jno. T. Cox, who arrived Thursday night with his beautiful bride. Mr. Cox is the popular News agent at ment of Paris will be possible. 111, King street, Alexandria."

COMMON COUNCIL. - A called meeting of the Common Council will be held to night for the in range of the French guns. purpose of considering the proposed new charter for the Corporation.

THE WEATHER. - Notwithstanding the snow and cold of yesterday, the weather this morn-

ing was very mild. SHORTEST DAY .- To morrow will be the shortest day in the year.

POLICE REPORT. - Affairs at police headquarters were as quiet as usual this morning. MAYOR'S OFFICE. - George Brooks, for disorderly conduct was committed to the work house for 60 days. He responded to the surgestion of the alternative, a florging, by telling the officer who made it to prepare his will first.

William Thornton, for disorderly conduct and for threatening John Hampton, both colored, was whipp land discharged. Edward Douglas, on complaint of Eliza Aus

bury, both colored, for disorderly conduct and MAGISTRATES' OFFICE .- A peace warrant

Mr. French thought that if the plan is to about 3 o'clock this morning when it cleared thereto before the latter reaches King William. methodise and economise in the operations of away, but became cloudy again and remained

from Washington, among them Col. Albert Pike, paid a visit to Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120, of this city, last night, and witnessed third degree. Col. Pike delivered a beautiful ring. address upon the occasion.

Rev. Mr. Haynes will deliver a Masonic lccture in the Methodist Episcopal Church next

POTATOES. - Major H. C. Williams exhibited here yesterday some potatoes raised on his farm near Vienna station, Fairfax county, which unquestionably were the largest and finest ever before seen in this locality; some specimens weighed as much as one pound and the bushel of the yield.

RELEASED.-Edward Meades and William Phillips, alias Sonny Colton, the last of the parties committed to jail for an assault upon the jury in the Javins Morrow case, were released from confinement yesterday, by order of Judge Keith.

PICKPOCKETS. - A gentleman from this city while riding in one of the street cars in Washington, yesterday, had his heavy gold watch chain cut, but his vest fitted him so tightly that the pickpocket could not abstract his

ST. JOHN'S BATTALION. - The battalion of students of St. John's Academy, armed with their new guns, paraded this evening and presented a very soldier-like and handsome ap-

QUALIFIED .- G. H. Ramey, the Commonwealth's Attorney elect for Alexandria county, qualified before his honor Judge Cockerille, yesterday, by taking the oaths of office as required by law.

TROPICAL FRUIT .- Among other freight landed here yesterday by the steamer Lady of the Lake was a large consignment of Havana oranges from Cuba, via. Norfolk, to commission merchants of this city.

MAN TRAP .- The condition of the pavement at the southeast corner of King and Henry streets, is represented as a probable cause for a suit for damages against the city.

ALFXANDRIA CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION .-The regular monthly meeting of this society will be held in their room, to night, at halfpast seven o'clock.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—In the Schate, to. FALL AND WINTER ASSORTMENT OF day, Mr. Hamlin introduced a bill defining trict of Columbia-referred. boys in the U. S. navy.

Mr. Morton moved to take up the joint resolution for sending a Commissioner to Santa Domingo. Mr. Summer thought the Senate should take

up and pass his resolution calling on the President relative to the Santa Domingo negotiations. The debate was continued. In the House of Representatives the morn-

ing hour was occupied by personal explana-The bill for removing political disabilities was then taken up and discussed.

MISCELLANEOUS. Mr. McKenzie, introduced a joint resolution yesterday for the appointment of commissioners to examine and report to Congress upon the claims of loyal citizens for damages during the war of the rebellion; which was read a first 15, barley 88, apples 68 bbls., dressed poultry and second time, referred to the Committee of

Claims, and ordered to be printed. Attorney General Akerman does not intend to resign, all report to the contrary, notwithstanding. This is reliable.

Congress will do nothing of importance un il after the holidays. It is certain Grant and Boutwell are at odds

about Santa Domingo. The President is pressing members of Con gress to vote for the St. Domingo Commission scheme. Should it be adopted Fred. Douglas will be one of the Commissioners.

The Democratic Senators will make a coali tion with Sumner to have Santa Domingo referred to the committee on foreign relations, which is equivalent to killing it for this winter,

FOREIGN NEWS.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.-The Cross Gazette of this city says the causes previously given for the failure to open the bombardment of Paris were incorrect. The difficulties in the transportation of material and heavy guns will shortly be overcome. Further action will be guided alto gether by military considerations.

LONDON, Dec. 20.-The Telegraph this morning has a special from Brussels saying that the late heavy calls for landwehr denote weakness of the German investing army around Paris, and that its operations are now more defensive than offensive.

One or two more sorties like that of last night, (sic) and the seige of Paris will be raised. A special disdatch from Frankfort says that a mouth will be required before the bombard

The guns in use in the German army at present are utterly worthless for such a purpose, and besides that Versailles itself is nearly with-London, Dec. 20-Noon.-Later advices

have been received from Paris. There has been no fighting around the city since the 1st of December. The people of Paris had received news from the outside world

up to the 11th instant. The soldiers and citizens were undismayed. The public order was perfect and the stores were ample for several months. Dispatches have been received here announc-

ng that the Germans stormed Nuits in the Department of Cote D'Or., on the 18th. The French withdrew at nightfall. Germans lost 300 in killed and wounded .-Among the wounded was Prince William of

Baden who was shot through the cheek. John Bright has resigned the Presidency of the Board of Trade. The full text of President Grant's annual message was published here to day, for the

irst time. The Times in its comments says if the Presi dent expects England to take the initiative, for the reopening of negotiations on the Alabama question, he will be disappointed. It was the Americans who rejected the last settlement and that settlement was framed at Washington. Baussels, D c. 20 -The Government has

MASONIC. - Some distinguished Masons tween Bryan Campbell and Dave Lewis. Ninety-nine rounds were fought in one hour and thirty minutes, when Campbell was declared the winner by a foul blow. Two thousand persons were present. The fight was one Virginia work in the administration of the of the most ferocious on the record of the prize

Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.-The EagleSmelting Works, at Hamilton, Nevada were accidentally burned yesterday. Loss \$10,000, no insurance.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 20.-Va. sixes old, 50 bid 501 asked; do. 1866, 60 bid 61 asked; do. 1867, 56 bid, 564 asked. Cotton strong. Flour steady, and fairly active. Wheat; choice in demand at full prices; common is not wanted, choice white 170a185; fair to prime 140a160; prime to choice red 165a180; fair to good 135 fourteen ounces. The fertilizer used by the a160; common 120a130; Ohio and Indiana 137 Major on his crop cost two and a half cents to al40. Corn firm; and active, white 73a74; yellow 72. Oats quiet at 50a52.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.-Stocks quiet. Gold 10 3 a 10 3. Money easy at 7 in currency to 7 in gold. Virginia sixes ex coupon 64½, do. new 63. Flour dull and drooping. Wheat dull and heavy. Corn quiet.

CORPORATION COURT-Judge E. M. Lowe presiding.—James Boswell, sentenced to the penitentiary for 11 years, in accordance with verdict of jury, and execution of sentence stayed for 20 days from January 1st, 1871, and clerk ordered to prepare, free of cost, a copy record of proceedings in this cause, to be presented to

the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia.
P. G. Henderson, J.W. Holensbury and Jno.
R. Alexander were appointed appraisers of the estate of Philip Weinburg under the Home John Hurley's adm'r. vs. O., A. & M. R. R.; in chancery. Leave was granted the defendrat to file answer at next January term and

continued. Anne B. Fornance et als. vs. Wm. H. Mc-Knight et als.; in chancery. Decree referring papers in this cause to one of the Commissioners of Chancery in this Court. M. B. Harlow vs. David Waters; suggestion vs. Alexandria & Wash. R. R. Co.; suggestion

SPECIAL NOTICES.

TO SICKLY PERSONS. To persons who are weak and sickly, the use of Speer's Port Grape Wine will restore their health and strength. Physicians, clergymen and temperance advocates should encourage the use of the Port Grape Wine, and thus aid the cause of temperance and moderation. We especially recommend it to families for its purity, exquisite flavor and healthy properties .-Medical men certify to its valuable medicinal powers. We understand that Mr. Speer has been for years engaged in preparing and perfecting it, and that it requires a four years' process before it is fit for markert. N. Y.

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NOTICE OF A CHANGE OF SCHEDULE FOR 1871.—At the commencement of the Spring business, a change will be made in the schedule of the steamer COLUMBIA. She will start from Washington on TUESDAY NIGHT and call at her landings about six hours earlier than heretofore, and arrive at Baltimore on Thursday morning in ample time for making connection with early morning trains and

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Prize Fight.

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